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INTRODUCTION

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TABLE I : AUSTRALIA - GOVERNMENT, PRIVATE AND TOTAL CIVIL EMPLOYMENT
(Excluding Wage Earners in Rural Industry and Females in Private Domestic Service)
(Thousands.)

Month	Males			Females			Persons		
	Govern- mental Author- ities(a)	Private Employ- ment	Total	Govern- mental Author- ities(a)	Private Employ- ment	Total	Govern- mental Author- ities(a)	Private Employ- ment	Total
1939 July	349.8	943.3	1,293.1	55.2	381.9	437.1	405.0	1,325.2	1,730.2
1941 July	375.3	988.1	1,363.4	70.8	485.4	556.2	446.1	1,473.5	1,919.6
Nov. (b)	381.5	999.9	1,381.4	76.3	503.5	579.8	457.8	1,503.4	1,961.2
1942 June	420.9	888.6	1,309.5	100.8	502.8	603.6	521.7	1,391.4	1,913.1
1943 June	413.3	859.9	1,273.2	135.9	504.8	640.7	549.2	1,364.7	1,913.9
1944 June	404.5	871.1	1,275.6	134.0	497.5	631.5	538.5	1,368.6	1,907.1
1945 June (c)	400.2	896.1	1,296.3	124.8	494.6	619.4	525.0	1,390.7	1,915.7
1946 June	435.0	1,071.5	1,506.5	94.0	502.0	596.0	529.0	1,573.5	2,102.5
1947 June	472.0	1,177.4	1,649.4	92.1	527.5	619.6	564.1	1,704.9	2,269.0
Dec.	481.7	1,209.5	1,691.2	92.3	545.5	637.8	574.0	1,755.0	2,329.0
1948 Jan.	482.7	1,211.0	1,693.7	92.8	538.4	631.2	575.5	1,749.4	2,324.9
Feb.	471.1	1,215.1	1,686.2	92.3	542.1	634.4	563.4	1,757.2	2,320.6
Mar.	480.4	1,214.9	1,695.3	94.1	545.5	639.6	574.5	1,760.4	2,334.9
Apr.	490.2	1,227.1	1,717.3	94.4	546.8	641.2	584.6	1,773.9	2,358.5
May	492.9	1,232.7	1,725.6	94.8	547.0	641.8	587.7	1,779.7	2,367.4
June	494.4	1,236.4	1,730.8	94.9	548.8	643.7	589.3	1,785.2	2,374.5

(a) Includes employees of Commonwealth, State and Local Government Authorities on services such as railways, tramways, post Office, education, police, public works, etc., as well as administrative employees.

(b) War-time peak.

(c) From June, 1945, onwards all figures of private and total employment are estimates, subject to revision on the basis of results of the Census of 30th June, 1947.

TABLE 2 : STATES - CIVIL EMPLOYEES OF GOVERNMENT AUTHORITIES, JUNE, 1948
(Thousands.)

State or Territory	Commonwealth Government (a)		State and Semi Government		Local Government		Total Government (b)		
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Persons
N.S.W.	44.2	13.2	120.1	18.6	21.8	1.8	186.1	33.6	219.7
Vic.	41.8	13.1	78.7	16.4	11.2	0.9	131.7	30.4	162.1
Q'ld.	16.1	4.4	43.3	5.5	16.2	0.7	75.6	10.6	86.2
S.A.	11.4	2.8	28.3	5.8	2.7	0.2	42.4	8.8	51.2
W.A.	7.9	2.4	26.3	4.0	2.8	0.2	37.0	6.6	43.6
Tas.	2.1	0.9	10.1	2.3	2.1	0.1	14.3	3.3	17.6
A.C.T.	5.1	1.4	-	-	-	-	5.1	1.4	6.5
North.Terr.	2.2	0.2	-	-	-	-	2.2	0.2	2.4
Total June, 1948	130.8	38.4	306.8	52.6	56.8	3.9	494.4	94.9	589.3
Total May, 1948	129.4	38.2	306.8	52.7	56.7	3.9	492.9	94.8	587.7

(a) Includes statutory authorities.

(b) Includes administration, transport services, factories and workshops, postal, etc. services, education, public works and other services, etc.

TABLE 3 : STATES - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVIL EMPLOYMENT

(Excluding Wage Earners in Rural Industry and Females in Private Domestic Service)
(Thousands.)

S t a t e	July 1939	Nov. 1941	June 1943	June 1945	June 1946	June 1947	May 1948	June 1948
<u>M A L E S.</u>								
N.S.W.	529.9	556.8	525.1	536.0	618.5	671.8	700.0	702.2
Vic.	357.5	405.1	355.2	359.2	417.9	452.6	472.8	473.3
Q'ld.	172.8	168.0	167.3	169.0	192.4	220.2	231.1	232.6
S.A.	106.7	121.9	110.6	109.4	129.6	140.9	148.3	149.0
W.A.	82.9	83.2	70.4	75.9	93.9	103.9	109.2	109.2
Tas.	37.4	39.4	36.9	39.5	46.9	51.1	54.7	54.5
North Terr.	2.1	3.9	5.5	4.1	2.8	3.4	3.8	4.0
A.C.T.	3.8	3.1	2.2	3.2	4.5	5.5	5.7	6.0
<u>TOTAL:</u>	1,293.1	1,381.4	1,273.2	1,296.3	1,506.5	1,649.4	1,725.6	1,730.8
<u>F E M A L E S.</u>								
N.S.W.	168.0	229.3	254.4	247.9	242.3	252.1	260.7	261.6
Vic.	142.9	192.8	205.4	193.2	183.7	190.5	196.4	196.7
Q'ld.	53.2	62.6	74.1	75.1	71.2	74.5	77.5	77.9
S.A.	34.0	45.6	52.9	49.0	45.8	48.0	49.8	50.1
W.A.	26.2	32.6	35.5	35.6	34.5	35.6	36.9	37.0
Tas.	11.6	15.2	16.7	16.6	16.6	16.9	18.0	18.0
North. Terr.	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.6
A.C.T.	1.0	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.9	1.8
<u>TOTAL:</u>	437.1	579.8	640.7	619.4	596.0	619.6	641.8	643.7
<u>P E R S O N S.</u>								
N.S.W.	697.9	786.1	779.5	783.9	860.8	923.9	960.7	963.8
Vic.	500.4	597.9	560.6	552.4	601.6	643.1	669.2	670.0
Q'ld.	226.0	230.6	241.4	244.1	263.6	294.7	308.6	310.5
S.A.	140.7	167.5	163.5	158.4	175.4	188.9	198.1	199.1
W.A.	109.1	115.8	105.9	111.5	128.4	139.5	146.1	146.2
Tas.	49.0	54.6	53.6	56.1	63.5	68.0	72.7	72.5
North. Terr.	2.3	4.3	5.7	4.4	3.1	3.8	4.4	4.6
A.C.T.	4.8	4.4	3.7	4.9	6.1	7.1	7.6	7.8
<u>TOTAL:</u>	1,730.2	1,961.2	1,913.9	1,915.7	2,102.5	2,269.0	2,367.4	2,374.5

NOTE: From June, 1945 onwards, the figures above are estimates, subject to revision on the basis of the Census of 30th June, 1947.

TABLE 4 : STATES - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVIL EMPLOYMENT

INDUSTRIAL GROUPS.

(Excluding Wage Earners in Rural Industry and Females in Private Domestic Service)

(Subject to revision.)

(Thousands.)

Industrial Group	End of June, 1948						
	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'ld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.(a)
<u>MALES.</u>							
Forestry, Fishing and Trapping	10.2	6.4	5.3	1.5	1.7	2.1	27.4
Mining and Quarrying	28.1	4.8	7.1	1.4	8.5	2.7	52.7
Manufacturing, etc. - Factories (b)	261.2	193.3	63.8	56.3	27.7	16.7	619.0
- Other (c)	28.1	16.3	9.3	3.9	2.4	0.5	61.5
<u>Total:</u>	289.3	209.6	73.1	60.2	30.1	17.2	680.5
Building and Construction	60.1	42.1	28.2	14.6	11.9	7.8	167.8
Shipping and Stevedoring	17.1	8.0	7.9	5.1	3.1	2.0	43.3
Rail and Air Transport	38.2	20.1	18.3	9.1	8.3	2.3	96.5
Other Transport & Communication	52.6	34.3	20.3	10.6	7.7	3.9	130.1
Property & Finance (incl. Banks, etc.)	19.5	14.5	6.8	4.0	3.3	1.2	49.4
Retail Trade	49.2	34.6	15.9	11.3	8.7	3.4	123.3
Wholesale and Other Commerce	39.7	31.6	15.6	11.8	9.5	3.7	112.2
Public Authority Activity, n.e.i.	33.4	23.0	11.1	5.6	5.7	2.7	84.3
Other Industries (d)	64.8	44.3	23.0	13.8	10.7	5.5	163.3
<u>TOTAL MALES</u>	702.2	473.3	232.6	149.0	109.2	54.5	1,730.8
<u>FEMALES.</u>							
Manufacturing, etc. - Factories (b)	88.8	79.8	13.1	13.8	6.6	4.1	206.2
- Other (c)	2.1	1.4	3.0	0.2	0.8	0.2	7.7
<u>Total:</u>	90.9	81.2	16.1	14.0	7.4	4.3	213.9
Rail and Air Transport	3.2	2.3	1.3	0.5	0.4	0.1	7.8
Other Transport and Communication (including Shipping, etc.)	10.7	8.2	3.7	2.2	1.4	0.9	27.2
Property and Finance (including Banks, etc.)	10.9	6.7	2.8	1.7	1.5	0.6	24.2
Retail Trade	43.0	29.9	13.8	10.9	7.9	3.4	109.3
Wholesale and Other Commerce	12.7	8.7	4.8	3.1	2.4	0.7	32.4
Public Authority Activity, n.e.i.	9.4	6.4	4.4	1.2	1.9	0.8	25.0
Other Industries (d)	80.8	53.3	31.0	16.5	14.1	7.2	203.9
<u>TOTAL FEMALES</u>	261.6	196.7	77.9	50.1	37.0	18.0	643.7
<u>PERSONS.</u>							
Forestry, Fishing and Trapping	10.2	6.4	5.3	1.6	1.7	2.1	27.5
Mining and Quarrying	28.3	4.9	7.2	1.4	8.6	2.7	53.3
Manufacturing, etc. - Factories (b)	350.0	273.1	76.9	70.1	34.3	20.8	825.2
- Other (c)	30.2	17.7	12.3	4.0	3.2	0.7	69.2
<u>Total:</u>	380.2	290.8	89.2	74.2	37.5	21.5	894.4
Building and Construction	61.2	42.9	28.7	14.9	12.1	7.9	170.7
Shipping and Stevedoring	18.1	8.4	8.2	5.3	3.2	2.0	45.4
Rail and Air Transport	41.4	22.4	19.6	9.6	8.7	2.4	104.3
Other Transport and Communication	62.3	42.1	23.7	12.6	9.0	4.8	155.2
Property and Finance (including Banks, etc.)	30.4	21.2	9.7	5.7	4.8	1.8	73.6
Retail Trade	92.2	64.5	29.7	22.2	16.6	6.8	232.6
Wholesale and Other Commerce	52.4	40.3	20.4	15.0	11.9	4.4	144.6
Public Authority Activity, n.e.i.	42.8	29.4	15.5	6.8	7.6	3.5	109.3
Other Industries (d)	144.3	96.7	53.3	29.8	24.5	12.6	363.6
<u>TOTAL PERSONS</u>	963.8	670.0	310.5	199.1	146.2	72.5	2,374.5

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TABLE 5 : AUSTRALIA - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVIL EMPLOYMENT.

5.

(Excluding Wage Earners in Rural Industry and Females in Private Domestic Service)
(Thousands.)

Industrial Group	July 1939	June 1945(h)	June 1946(h)	June 1947(h)	May 1948(h)	June 1948(h)
<u>MALES.</u>						
<u>Forestry, Fishing and Trapping</u>	24.1	20.6	24.2	26.5	27.5	27.4
<u>Mining</u> - Gold	15.4	6.6	9.3	10.0	9.3	9.4
- Silver, Lead	6.4	4.2	6.1	6.9	7.6	7.7
- Coal	22.1	25.3	24.6	24.9	25.9	26.2
- Other (incl. Quarries)	8.3	7.5	8.8	9.2	9.4	9.4
<u>Total Mining and Quarrying</u>	52.2	43.6	48.8	51.0	52.2	52.7
<u>Manufacturing, etc.</u> - Factories(b)	391.5	514.5	558.4	595.1	616.5	619.0
- Other (c)	64.6	57.2	60.0	58.8	60.6	61.5
<u>Total Manufacturing</u>	456.1	571.7	618.4	653.9	677.1	680.5
<u>Building and Construction</u>						
- Building (privately employed)(e)	149.7	42.6	63.2	78.9	85.0	85.9
- Other (f)		45.3	61.7	76.8	82.3	81.9
<u>Total Building & Construction</u>	149.7	87.9	124.9	155.7	167.3	167.8
<u>Transport and Communication</u>						
- Road Transport	50.2	54.0	66.9	77.6	82.7	82.1
- Shipping and Stevedoring	35.0	40.9	40.9	43.2	43.3	43.3
- Rail and Air Transport	73.0	82.9	91.8	93.9	95.5	96.5
- Communication	27.7	31.4	38.2	42.7	47.7	48.0
<u>Total Transport, etc.</u>	185.9	209.2	237.8	256.4	269.2	269.9
<u>Property and Finance (incl. Banks and Insurance)</u>	47.1	27.3	40.7	47.1	49.3	49.4
<u>Commerce</u> - Wholesale Trade	212.6	55.7	75.6	86.7	92.5	92.8
- Primary Produce Dealing		14.1	17.1	18.1	19.6	19.4
- Retail Trade		76.4	103.2	116.0	123.5	123.3
<u>Total Commerce</u>	212.6	146.2	195.9	220.8	235.6	235.5
<u>Public Authority Activity n.e.i.</u>	31.8	75.8	75.2	82.1	84.3	84.3
<u>Other</u>						
- Law and Order	17.6	14.1	15.5	16.2	17.0	17.1
- Religion and Social Welfare	10.2	10.2	11.3	11.4	11.4	11.4
- Health Services	17.8	16.2	20.1	23.2	24.4	24.5
- Education	22.1	19.7	24.5	27.4	28.6	28.6
- Other Professional	11.5	5.7	8.5	10.3	11.1	11.1
- Entertainment, Sport	17.4	13.0	16.0	17.1	17.7	17.7
- Personal Service (g)	37.0	35.1	44.7	50.3	52.9	52.9
<u>Total Other</u>	133.6	114.0	140.6	155.9	163.1	163.3
<u>TOTAL</u>	1,293.1	1,296.3	1,506.5	1,649.4	1,725.6	1,730.8
<u>FEMALES.</u>						
<u>Forestry, Fishing and Trapping</u>	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
<u>Mining and Quarrying</u>	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6
<u>Manufacturing, etc.</u> - Factories(b)	148.2	206.3	192.1	200.6	205.4	206.2
- Other (c)	20.8	8.4	8.1	7.4	7.8	7.7
<u>Total Manufacturing</u>	169.0	214.7	200.2	208.0	213.2	213.9
<u>Building and Construction</u>	1.2	2.2	2.4	2.6	2.9	2.9
<u>Transport and Communication</u>						
- Road Transport	1.5	6.7	5.0	5.8	6.7	6.8
- Shipping and Stevedoring	1.2	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1
- Rail and Air Transport	2.5	7.7	6.8	7.2	7.8	7.8
- Communication	7.4	20.4	18.5	17.3	18.0	18.3
<u>Total Transport, etc.</u>	12.6	37.0	32.4	32.4	34.6	35.0
<u>Property & Finance (incl. Banks and Insurance)</u>	13.5	25.5	22.9	23.0	24.2	24.2

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TABLE 5 : AUSTRALIA - WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVIL EMPLOYMENT

6.

INDUSTRIAL GROUPS (Continued)

(Thousands)

Industrial Group	July 1939	June 1945(h)	June 1946(h)	June 1947(h)	May 1948(h)	June 1948(h)
FEMALES (Continued)						
<u>Commerce</u> - Wholesale Trade	101.4	22.8	23.8	26.0	27.6	28.2
- Primary Produce Dealing		4.3	4.1	4.0	4.2	4.2
- Retail Trade		96.4	99.6	104.0	108.5	109.3
<u>Total Commerce</u>	101.4	123.5	127.5	134.0	140.3	141.7
<u>Public Authority Activity n.e.i.</u>	10.0	40.3	26.6	25.7	25.2	25.0
<u>Other</u>						
- Law and Order	4.0	5.4	6.1	7.1	7.3	7.5
- Religion and Social Welfare	7.0	9.1	9.0	9.1	9.0	9.0
- Health Services	34.0	49.3	51.4	55.8	59.6	59.6
- Education	32.0	36.1	36.0	36.3	37.1	37.1
- Other Professional	5.0	6.4	6.8	7.5	8.2	8.3
- Entertainment, Sport	4.0	7.5	7.9	8.2	8.4	8.4
- Personal Service (g)	43.0	61.9	66.2	69.3	71.1	70.4
<u>Total Other</u>	129.0	175.7	183.4	193.3	200.7	200.3
<u>TOTAL</u>	437.1	619.4	596.0	619.6	641.8	643.7
PERSONS.						
<u>Forestry, Fishing and Trapping</u>	24.2	20.7	24.3	26.6	27.6	27.5
<u>Mining</u> - Gold	15.5	6.7	9.4	10.1	9.4	9.5
- Silver, Lead	6.5	4.2	6.1	7.0	7.8	7.9
- Coal	22.2	25.4	24.8	25.0	26.0	26.3
- Other (incl. Quarries)	8.3	7.7	9.0	9.4	9.6	9.6
<u>Total Mining and Quarrying</u>	52.5	44.0	49.3	51.5	52.8	53.3
<u>Manufacturing, etc.</u> - Factories(b)	539.7	720.8	750.5	795.7	821.9	825.2
- Other (c)	85.4	65.6	68.1	66.2	68.4	69.2
<u>Total Manufacturing</u>	625.1	786.4	818.6	861.9	890.3	894.4
<u>Building and Construction</u>						
- Building (Privately Employed)(e)	150.9	44.3	65.1	80.9	87.4	88.3
- Other (f)		45.8	62.2	77.4	82.8	82.4
<u>Total Building & Construction</u>	150.9	90.1	127.3	158.3	170.2	170.7
<u>Transport and Communication</u>						
- Road Transport	51.7	60.7	71.9	83.4	89.4	88.9
- Shipping and Stevedoring	36.2	43.1	43.0	44.3	45.4	45.4
- Rail and Air Transport	75.5	90.6	98.6	101.1	103.3	104.3
- Communication	35.1	51.8	56.7	60.0	65.7	66.3
<u>Total Transport, etc.</u>	198.5	246.2	270.2	288.8	303.8	304.9
<u>Property and Finance (incl. Banks and Insurance)</u>	60.6	52.8	63.6	70.1	73.5	73.6
<u>Commerce</u> - Wholesale Trade	314.0	78.5	99.4	112.7	120.1	121.0
- Primary Produce Dealing		18.4	21.2	22.1	23.8	23.6
- Retail Trade		172.8	202.8	220.0	232.0	232.6
<u>Total Commerce</u>	314.0	269.7	323.4	354.8	375.9	377.2
<u>Public Authority Activity n.e.i.</u>	41.8	116.1	101.8	107.8	109.5	109.3
<u>Other</u>						
- Law and Order	21.6	19.5	21.6	23.3	24.3	24.6
- Religion and Social Welfare	17.2	19.3	20.3	20.5	20.4	20.4
- Health Services	51.8	65.5	71.5	79.0	83.9	84.1
- Education	54.1	55.8	60.5	63.7	65.7	65.7
- Other Professional	16.5	12.1	15.3	17.8	19.3	19.4
- Entertainment, Sport	21.4	20.5	23.9	25.3	26.1	26.1
- Personal Service (g)	80.0	97.0	110.9	119.6	124.1	123.3
<u>Total Other</u>	262.6	289.7	324.0	349.2	363.8	363.6
<u>TOTAL</u>	1,730.2	1,915.7	2,102.5	2,269.0	2,367.4	2,374.5

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**A. RETAIL HIRE PURCHASE AND OTHER INSTALMENT CREDIT TRANSACTIONS DURING THE THREE MONTHS ENDED
30th SEPTEMBER, 1958.**

Include agreements assigned to others, exclude agreements assigned to you.

Type of Goods.	Hire Purchase Agreements.			Cash Orders, Time Payment, etc. See Note 4.
	Number of Agreements made.	Value of Goods (Net Cash or List Price—Excluding Hiring Charges and Insurance). £	Amount Financed by you (Excluding Hiring Charges and Insurance). £	Amount Financed by you (Excluding Interest Charges, &c.). £
MOTOR VEHICLES (new and used)— Motor Cars and Motor Cycles, Commercial Vehicles, Tractors, Caravans, Trailers, Motor Parts and Accessories, etc.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(13)
PLANT AND MACHINERY — Farm Machinery and Implements, Earthmoving Equipment, Aircraft, Industrial Plant and Machinery, Business Machines and Equipment (including Commercial Refrigeration Equipment), etc.	(4)	(5)	(6)	(14)
HOUSEHOLD AND PERSONAL GOODS — Furniture, Furnishings, Domestic Refrigerators, Electrical Goods, Radios and Musical Instruments and Bicycles, Motor Mowers, Clothing, etc.	(7)	(8)	(9)	(15)
TOTAL	(10)	(11)	(12)	(16)

B. RETAIL, HIRE PURCHASE AND OTHER INSTALMENT CREDIT TOTAL BALANCES OWING TO YOU AT 30th SEPTEMBER, 1958.

(Exclude balances outstanding on any agreements assigned to others. Include balances outstanding on agreements assigned to you.)

	£
Hire Purchase Agreements (Include Hiring Charges and Insurance)	(17)
Cash Orders, Time Payment, etc. (Include Interest Charges, &c.). See Note 4	(18)

If any of the figures above vary considerably from those on your previous return, please give brief explanation.....

Signature.....Telephone No.....Date.....

TABLE 6 : AUSTRALIA - EMPLOYMENT IN FACTORIES (b) ACCORDING TO MAIN CLASSES

JUNE, 1939 - 1948

(Thousands.)

Class of Factory	No. of Employees in June -				
	1939	1945	1946	1947(h)	1948(h)
<u>MALES.</u>					
Treatment of Non-Metalliferous Mine and Quarry Products	9.8	7.6	10.7	12.5	13.2
Bricks, Pottery, Glass	14.3	9.6	14.0	15.7	16.1
Chemicals, Oils, Paints, etc.	14.6	24.3	22.9	23.7	25.2
Metals, Machines, Vehicles, etc.	161.6	264.9	264.5	273.3	286.6
Jewellery, Watches, etc.	2.8	1.7	3.0	4.2	4.3
Textiles (incl. knitted goods)	18.3	22.6	26.8	28.6	29.7
Skins and Leather	8.0	8.7	11.3	12.0	11.5
Clothing (incl. Shoes)	19.1	18.7	24.0	28.0	28.4
Food, Drink, Tobacco	57.6	69.9	72.9	78.1	82.2
Sawmilling	16.2	17.9	19.9	21.6	21.6
Other Woodworking, Furniture, etc.	22.5	21.9	27.7	31.1	32.4
Paper, Printing, etc.	26.7	23.4	31.0	33.9	34.7
Rubber	4.9	5.9	7.9	8.1	8.6
Musical Instruments and Miscellaneous Manufactures	5.4	7.9	10.8	12.5	12.4
Heat, Light and Power	9.2	9.5	11.0	11.8	12.1
<u>TOTAL</u>	391.0	514.5	558.4	595.1	619.0
<u>FEMALES.</u>					
Treatment of Non-Metalliferous Mine and Quarry Products	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Bricks, Pottery, Glass	0.8	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.3
Chemicals, Oils, Paints, etc.	5.7	11.3	8.1	8.1	8.1
Metals, Machines, Vehicles, etc.	9.4	40.9	26.4	26.2	28.1
Jewellery, Watches, etc.	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.8	1.0
Textiles (incl. knitted goods)	27.2	32.6	30.9	31.5	32.4
Skins and Leather	2.5	3.1	3.8	3.6	3.7
Clothing (incl. Shoes)	61.3	64.6	70.7	76.6	79.0
Food, Drink, Tobacco	20.9	29.1	26.9	27.2	26.9
Sawmilling	0.3	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
Other Woodworking, Furniture, etc.	3.3	2.9	3.4	3.6	3.8
Paper, Printing, etc.	11.6	12.6	12.1	12.8	12.8
Rubber	2.3	1.7	1.6	1.8	2.1
Musical Instruments & Miscellaneous Manufactures	2.4	4.8	5.4	6.1	5.9
Heat, Light and Power	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
<u>TOTAL</u>	148.6	206.3	192.1	200.6	206.2
<u>PERSONS.</u>					
Treatment of Non-Metalliferous Mine and Quarry Products	10.0	8.0	11.1	12.9	13.6
Bricks, Pottery, Glass	15.1	10.7	15.1	16.9	17.4
Chemicals, Oils, Paints, etc.	20.3	35.6	31.0	31.8	33.3
Metals, Machines, Vehicles, etc.	171.0	305.8	290.9	299.5	314.7
Jewellery, Watches, etc.	3.3	2.2	3.6	5.0	5.3
Textiles (incl. knitted goods)	45.5	55.2	57.7	60.1	62.1
Skins and Leather	10.5	11.8	15.1	15.6	15.2
Clothing (incl. Shoes)	80.4	83.3	94.7	104.6	107.4
Food, Drink, Tobacco	78.5	99.0	99.8	105.3	109.1
Sawmilling	16.5	18.5	20.5	22.2	22.2
Other Woodworking, Furniture, etc.	25.8	24.8	31.1	34.7	36.2
Paper, Printing, etc.	38.3	36.0	43.1	46.7	47.5
Rubber	7.2	7.6	9.5	9.9	10.7
Musical Instruments & Miscellaneous Manufactures	7.8	12.7	16.2	18.6	18.3
Heat, Light and Power	9.4	9.6	11.1	11.9	12.2
<u>TOTAL</u>	539.6	720.8	750.5	795.7	825.2

TABLE 7 : STATES - ESTIMATED EMPLOYMENT IN FACTORIES ACCORDING TO MAIN CLASSES (b) MAY AND JUNE, 1948 (h)
(Excludes Working Proprietors) (Thousands)

Class of Factory	New South Wales		Victoria		Queensland		South Australia		Western Australia		Tasmania		Australia	
	May	June	May	June	May	June	May	June	May	June	May	June	May	June
M A L E S														
Treatment of Non-Metalliferous Mine and Quarry Products	5.5	5.6	3.6	3.7	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	0.5	0.5	13.0	13.2
Bricks, Pottery, Glass	9.1	9.2	3.5	3.7	1.0	1.9	1.3	1.4	0.6	0.7	0.2	0.2	15.7	16.1
Chemicals, Oils, Paints	10.8	10.8	9.3	9.4	1.0	0.9	2.5	2.6	1.4	1.3	0.2	0.2	25.2	25.2
Metals, Machines, Vehicles, etc.	135.6	136.0	78.9	79.3	23.5	23.3	30.9	31.0	11.5	11.4	5.5	5.6	285.9	286.6
Jewellery, Watches	1.3	1.3	2.3	2.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	-	-	4.2	4.3
Textiles (Incl. Knitted Goods)	10.2	10.1	15.6	15.6	0.8	0.8	1.3	1.4	0.3	0.3	1.4	1.5	29.6	29.7
Skins and Leather Goods	4.2	4.2	4.0	4.0	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	0.6	0.6	0.3	0.3	11.5	11.5
Clothing (Incl. Shoes)	11.3	11.3	12.5	12.4	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	0.9	1.0	0.3	0.2	28.5	28.4
Food, Drink and Tobacco	23.8	24.1	25.7	25.2	17.5	18.5	7.1	7.1	4.1	4.1	3.3	3.2	81.5	82.2
Sawmilling	6.8	6.8	4.5	4.6	5.0	5.0	1.3	1.2	2.4	2.3	1.7	1.7	21.7	21.6
Other Woodworking, Furniture, etc.	12.6	12.7	9.5	9.4	4.4	4.6	2.8	2.8	2.0	1.9	1.1	1.0	32.4	32.4
Paper, Printing, etc.	14.4	14.6	11.9	11.9	2.7	2.8	2.2	2.2	1.4	1.4	1.7	1.8	34.3	34.7
Rubber	4.2	4.2	3.1	3.2	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	8.5	8.6
Musical Instruments & Miscell. Manufactures	5.7	5.6	5.2	5.1	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.2	12.5	12.4
Light and Power Works	4.7	4.7	3.5	3.5	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	0.9	0.9	0.2	0.2	12.0	12.1
TOTAL:	260.2	261.2	193.1	193.3	62.7	63.8	55.9	56.3	27.9	27.7	16.7	16.7	616.5	619.0
F E M A L E S														
Treatment of Non-Metalliferous Mine and Quarry Products	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	-	-	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.4
Bricks, Pottery, Glass	0.7	0.7	0.4	0.4	-	-	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	-	1.3	1.3
Chemicals, Oils, Paints	4.5	4.5	2.6	2.6	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.5	0.2	0.2	-	-	8.1	8.1
Metals, Machines, Vehicles, etc.	14.0	14.2	8.8	8.9	1.2	1.2	2.9	3.0	0.5	0.6	0.3	0.2	27.7	28.1
Jewellery, Watches	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	1.0
Textiles (Incl. Knitted Goods)	11.6	11.7	17.1	17.2	0.7	0.7	1.2	1.1	0.3	0.3	1.3	1.4	32.2	32.4
Skins and Leather Goods	2.1	2.0	1.1	1.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1	-	-	3.7	3.7
Clothing (Incl. Shoes)	32.5	33.1	31.4	31.7	5.8	5.7	4.9	4.9	3.1	3.1	0.5	0.5	78.2	79.0
Food, Drink and Tobacco	10.8	10.4	9.2	8.9	2.7	2.6	2.3	2.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	27.7	26.9
Sawmilling	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	-	0.6	0.6
Other Woodworking, Furniture, etc.	1.8	1.8	1.0	1.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	3.6	3.8
Paper, Printing, etc.	5.9	5.9	3.9	3.9	1.3	1.3	0.8	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	12.8	12.8
Rubber	0.9	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	-	2.0	2.1
Musical Instruments and Miscell. Manufactures	2.8	2.8	2.6	2.5	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	6.0	5.9
Light and Power Works	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1
TOTAL	88.4	88.8	79.6	79.8	13.1	13.1	13.8	13.8	6.4	6.6	4.1	4.1	205.4	206.2

TABLE 7 : STATES - ESTIMATED EMPLOYMENT IN FACTORIES ACCORDING TO MAIN CLASSES, (b) - MAY AND JUNE, 1948 (h)

(Continued)

(Excludes Working Proprietors)
(Thousands.)

Class of Factory	New South Wales		Victoria		Queensland		South Australia		Western Australia		Tasmania		Australia	
	May	June	May	June	May	June	May	June	May	June	May	June	May	June
P E R S O N S														
Treatment of Non-Metalliferous Mine and Quarry Products	5.6	5.7	3.8	3.9	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	0.5	0.5	13.4	13.6
Bricks, Pottery, Glass	9.8	9.9	3.9	4.1	1.0	0.9	1.4	1.5	0.7	0.8	0.2	0.2	17.0	17.4
Chemicals, Oils, Paints	15.3	15.3	11.9	12.0	1.2	1.2	3.1	3.1	1.6	1.5	0.2	0.2	33.3	33.3
Metals, Machines, Vehicles, etc.	149.6	150.2	87.7	88.2	24.7	24.5	33.8	34.0	12.0	12.0	5.8	5.8	313.6	314.7
Jewellery, Watches	1.7	1.7	2.8	2.8	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	-	-	5.2	5.3
Textiles (Incl. Knitted Goods)	21.8	21.8	32.7	32.8	1.5	1.5	2.5	2.5	0.6	0.6	2.7	2.9	61.8	62.1
Skins and Leather Goods	6.3	6.2	5.1	5.1	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	0.7	0.7	0.3	0.3	15.2	15.2
Clothing (Incl. Shoes)	43.8	44.4	43.9	44.1	7.6	7.5	6.6	6.6	4.0	4.1	0.8	0.7	106.7	107.4
Food, Drink and Tobacco	34.6	34.5	34.9	34.1	20.2	21.1	9.4	9.4	5.4	5.4	4.7	4.6	109.2	109.1
Sawmilling	7.0	7.0	4.6	4.7	5.2	5.2	1.4	1.3	2.4	2.3	1.7	1.7	22.3	22.2
Other Woodworking, Furniture, etc.	14.4	14.5	10.5	10.5	4.7	4.9	3.1	3.1	2.1	2.1	1.2	1.1	36.0	36.2
Paper, Printing, etc.	20.3	20.5	15.8	15.8	4.0	4.1	3.0	3.0	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.2	47.1	47.5
Rubber	5.1	5.1	3.8	3.9	0.8	0.9	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	10.5	10.7
Musical Instruments and Miscellaneous Manufactures	8.5	8.4	7.8	7.6	0.6	0.6	0.8	0.9	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.3	18.5	18.3
Light and Power Works	4.8	4.8	3.5	3.5	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	0.9	0.9	0.2	0.2	12.1	12.2
<u>TOTAL</u>	348.6	350.0	272.7	273.1	75.8	76.9	69.7	70.1	34.3	34.3	20.8	20.8	821.9	825.2

For Notes see Page 14.

TABLE 8 : AUSTRALIA - ESTIMATED EMPLOYMENT IN FACTORIES (b) (h) BY CLASSES
MARCH AND JUNE, 1948

(For June, 1946 and 1947 figures see Employment Bulletin No. 67 - June, 1947)
 (Excluding Working Proprietors)

I n d u s t r y	March, 1948			June, 1948		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
<u>Class I - Treatment of Non-Metal, Mine & Quarry Products</u>						
1 Coke	1,126	20	1,146	1,126	20	1,146
2 Briquette Coal	346	3	349	350	4	354
3 Carbide	185	2	187	212	2	214
4 & 5 Lime, Plaster, etc. Products	3,337	97	3,434	3,468	104	3,572
6 Marble, Slate Products	1,342	36	1,378	1,366	39	1,405
7, 8 Cement, Cement Goods	6,129	166	6,295	6,392	171	6,563
9 Other	314	76	390	306	78	384
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>12,779</u>	<u>400</u>	<u>13,179</u>	<u>13,220</u>	<u>418</u>	<u>13,638</u>
<u>Class II - Bricks, Pottery Glass</u>						
1 Bricks and Tiles	7,753	141	7,894	7,974	138	8,112
2 Earthenware	2,264	455	2,719	2,254	477	2,731
3 & 4 Glass & Glassware	5,454	655	6,109	5,777	629	6,406
5 Other	70	26	96	75	26	101
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>15,541</u>	<u>1,277</u>	<u>16,818</u>	<u>16,080</u>	<u>1,270</u>	<u>17,350</u>
<u>Class III - Chemicals, Oils</u>						
1 Industrial & Heavy Chemicals	5,938	576	6,514	5,994	590	6,584
2 Pharmaceutical & Toilet Preparations	2,178	3,306	5,484	2,228	3,440	5,668
3 Explosives & Fireworks	2,585	497	3,082	2,795	493	3,288
4 Paints, Colours, Varnishes	3,236	836	4,072	3,322	862	4,184
5 Vegetable Oils	635	46	681	730	43	773
6 Mineral Oils	1,316	52	1,368	1,287	53	1,340
7 & 8 Animal Oils, Boiling Down	1,564	57	1,621	1,565	62	1,627
9 Soap and Candles	2,197	1,006	3,203	2,244	1,049	3,293
10 Chemical Fertilizers	3,315	86	3,401	3,342	87	3,429
11 Inks, Polishes	654	572	1,226	644	539	1,183
12 Matches	459	544	1,003	472	566	1,038
13 Other	590	333	923	590	333	923
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>24,667</u>	<u>7,911</u>	<u>32,578</u>	<u>25,213</u>	<u>8,117</u>	<u>33,330</u>
<u>Class IV - Industrial Metals, Machines, Vehicles, etc.</u>						
1,2 Smelting, etc. of Iron and Steel	17,841	525	18,366	17,953	529	18,482
3,4,30 Plant, Machinery, etc.	58,125	4,830	62,955	58,984	4,995	63,979
5,22 Extracting, Refining Alloys	12,514	732	13,246	12,473	790	13,263
6 Electrical Cables Installations, etc.	23,675	5,787	29,462	24,077	5,969	30,046
7 Government Rail, etc. Rolling Stock	32,961	155	33,116	37,438	162	37,600
8 Other Rolling Stock, etc.	2,394	119	2,513	2,414	105	2,519
9 Motor Vehicles, Construction	5,262	341	5,603	5,875	394	6,269
10 Motor Vehicles, Repairs	23,829	2,217	26,046	23,958	2,265	26,223
11 Motor Vehicles, Bodies	12,419	805	13,224	12,974	809	13,783
12 Horse Drawn Vehicles	407	18	425	424	20	444
13 Cycle & Motor Accessories	4,494	1,100	5,594	4,480	1,095	5,575
14 Aeroplanes	9,746	1,056	10,802	9,486	976	10,462
15 Cycles	1,308	153	1,461	1,272	158	1,430
16 Other Vehicles	162	22	184	159	23	182
17 Shipbuilding & Repairs, Govt.	4,532	66	4,598	4,549	75	4,624
18 " " " , Other	12,213	186	12,399	12,619	165	12,784
19 Small Tools, Cutlery	2,296	356	2,652	2,302	380	2,682
20 Agricultural Implements	8,994	497	9,491	9,245	516	9,761
21 Non-ferrous Metals, Rolling, etc.	2,873	359	3,232	2,827	353	3,180
23,24 Galvanised Iron, Tinsmithing, etc.	16,940	3,293	20,233	16,993	3,286	20,279
25 Pipes and Tubes	5,422	565	5,987	5,306	550	5,856
26 Wireworking	4,938	653	5,591	5,014	642	5,656
27 Stoves and Ovens	3,909	358	4,267	4,102	410	4,512
28 Gasfittings and Meters	568	57	625	611	57	668
29 Lead Mills	129	21	150	133	21	154

TABLE 8 : AUSTRALIA - ESTIMATED EMPLOYMENT IN FACTORIES (b) (h) (Continued)

I n d u s t r y	March, 1948			June, 1948		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
<u>Class IV - (continued)</u>						
31 Arms	3,467	261	3,728	3,526	270	3,796
32 Wireless Apparatus	5,518	2,633	8,151	5,762	2,722	8,484
33 Other Metal Works	1,620	347	1,967	1,638	358	1,996
<u>TOTAL</u>	278,556	27,512	306,068	286,594	28,095	314,689
<u>Class V - Jewellery, Watch-making, etc.</u>						
1 Jewellery	1,374	486	1,860	1,362	486	1,848
2 Watches, Clocks	982	282	1,264	1,007	302	1,309
3, 4 Gold, Silver, Electro-plate and other Jewellery	1,954	165	2,119	1,955	158	2,113
<u>TOTAL</u>	4,310	933	5,243	4,324	946	5,270
<u>Class VI - Textiles and Textile Goods</u>						
1, 2 Cotton (incl. Cotton Ginning)	4,292	3,935	8,227	4,384	3,912	8,296
3 Wool, Worsted	12,946	10,398	23,344	13,234	10,510	23,744
4 Hosiery	5,748	13,604	19,352	5,859	14,043	19,902
5 Silk, Natural	191	380	571	190	384	574
6 Rayon, Nylon, etc.	687	306	993	714	317	1,031
7 Flax	736	91	827	732	73	805
8 Rope and Cordage	1,661	799	2,460	1,712	867	2,579
9 Canvas Goods	755	656	1,411	729	662	1,391
10 Bags and Sacks	347	338	685	326	312	638
11 Other Textiles	1,732	1,335	3,067	1,802	1,352	3,154
<u>TOTAL</u>	29,095	31,842	60,937	29,682	32,432	62,114
<u>Class VII - Skins and Leather</u>						
1 Furs	510	593	1,103	492	605	1,097
2 Fellmongery, Woolscouring	3,374	122	3,496	3,537	129	3,666
3 Tanning, Leather Dressing	4,580	239	4,819	4,605	243	4,848
4 Saddlery, Harness	489	122	611	488	111	599
5 Machine Belting	207	57	264	207	76	283
6 Bags, Trunks	1,900	2,319	4,219	1,953	2,430	4,383
7 Other	104	124	228	126	140	266
<u>TOTAL</u>	11,164	3,576	14,740	11,408	3,734	15,142
<u>Class VIII - Clothing</u>						
1 Tailoring & Ready-made clothing	6,366	27,565	33,931	6,447	28,754	35,201
2 Waterproof Clothing	158	495	653	159	507	666
3 Dressmaking	1,034	15,056	16,090	1,045	15,286	16,331
4 Millinery	449	3,028	3,477	431	3,012	3,443
5 Shirts, Underclothing	1,105	9,651	10,756	1,143	9,876	11,019
6 Corsets	347	2,442	2,789	367	2,523	2,890
7 Handkerchiefs, Ties	156	955	1,111	153	971	1,124
8 Hats, Caps	1,128	1,039	2,167	1,130	1,052	2,182
9 Gloves	205	756	961	193	849	1,042
10, 12 Shoes, Shoe Accessories	11,598	11,559	23,157	11,677	11,733	23,410
11 Shoes, Repairing	1,529	144	1,673	1,449	143	1,592
13 Umbrellas	74	118	192	77	130	207
14 Dyeworks, Dry Cleaning	4,038	3,648	7,686	4,003	3,640	7,643
15 Other	102	578	680	93	584	677
<u>TOTAL:</u>	28,289	77,034	105,323	28,367	79,060	107,427

TABLE 8 : AUSTRALIA - ESTIMATED EMPLOYMENT IN FACTORIES (b) (h) (Continued)

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I n d u s t r y	March, 1948			June, 1948		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
<u>Class IX - Food, Drink, Tobacco</u>						
1 Grain Milling	4,280	262	4,542	4,406	277	4,683
2 Cereal Foods, Starch	2,146	1,136	3,282	2,181	1,091	3,272
3 Animal Foods	466	66	532	470	66	536
4 Chaff-cutting, Corn-crushing	601	26	627	609	29	638
5 Bread and Pastry	10,276	2,904	13,180	10,414	2,988	13,402
6 Biscuits	1,882	1,842	3,724	1,913	1,932	3,845
7, 8 Sugar Milling, Refining	5,855	119	5,974	7,633	131	7,764
9 Confectionery	3,514	3,950	7,464	3,641	4,086	7,727
10,29 Jams, Fruits, etc. Canning etc.	8,003	7,115	15,118	6,704	3,606	10,310
11 Pickles, Sauces	1,049	854	1,903	970	774	1,744
12 Bacon Curing	2,510	250	2,760	2,596	247	2,843
13 Butter factories, Creameries	6,779	1,139	7,918	6,433	1,143	7,576
14 Cheese Factories	691	166	857	644	132	776
15 Condensed, Dried, Milk	546	81	627	563	120	683
16 Margarine	526	90	616	576	91	667
17 Meat & Fish Preserving	3,478	1,002	4,480	7,615	1,435	9,050
18 Condiments, Coffee	2,036	2,563	4,599	2,085	2,612	4,697
19 Ice Refrigeration	5,947	344	6,291	5,276	335	5,611
20 Salt Refining	414	16	430	397	16	413
21 Aerated Waters	3,676	773	4,449	3,259	750	4,009
22 Breweries	4,323	131	4,454	4,628	128	4,756
23 Distilleries	558	38	596	550	38	588
24 Wine Making	1,421	151	1,572	1,316	112	1,428
25 Cider & Perry Making	39	10	49	39	10	49
26 Malting	745	14	759	758	15	773
27 Bottling	950	284	1,234	1,090	284	1,374
28 Tobacco	2,320	2,747	5,067	2,336	2,756	5,092
30 Ice Cream	756	447	1,203	708	370	1,078
31 Sausage Skins	605	23	628	591	23	614
32,33 Other Foodstuffs (Incl. Arrowroot)	1,731	1,253	2,984	1,845	1,303	3,148
<u>TOTAL</u>	78,123	29,796	107,919	82,246	26,900	109,146
<u>Class X - Woodworking</u>						
1 Sawmills	21,609	597	22,206	21,608	594	22,202
2 Plywood Mills	1,807	248	2,055	1,905	280	2,185
3 Bark Mills	41	2	43	40	2	42
4 Joinery	6,899	240	7,139	6,937	232	7,169
5 Cooperage	706	8	714	693	8	701
6 Boxes and Cases	4,552	200	4,752	4,497	193	4,690
7 Woodturning, Carving	2,226	336	2,562	2,320	343	2,663
8 Basketware	322	18	340	339	21	360
9 Perambulators	310	62	372	304	56	360
10 Wall & Ceiling Boards	568	28	596	631	30	661
11 Other	70	5	75	81	5	86
<u>TOTAL</u>	39,110	1,744	40,854	39,355	1,764	41,119
<u>Class XI - Furniture, Furnishings</u>						
1 Furniture, Cabinets, etc.	12,406	757	13,163	12,633	763	13,396
2 Mattresses, etc.	1,120	607	1,727	1,124	598	1,722
3 Furnishing Drapery	333	936	1,269	343	1,020	1,363
4 Picture Frames	178	76	254	168	70	238
5 Window Blinds	427	147	574	472	131	603
<u>TOTAL</u>	14,464	2,523	16,987	14,740	2,582	17,322

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TABLE 8 : AUSTRALIA - ESTIMATED EMPLOYMENT IN FACTORIES (b) (h) (Continued)

I n d u s t r y	March, 1948			June, 1948		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
<u>Class XII - Paper, Printing, etc.</u>						
1 Newspapers (incl. weekly)	9,103	1,487	10,590	9,230	1,453	10,683
2 Government Printing	2,213	747	2,960	2,205	743	2,948
3 General Printing	11,549	5,512	17,061	11,584	5,461	17,045
4 Manufac. Stationery	1,774	1,671	3,445	1,814	1,680	3,494
5 Electrotyping	189	18	207	191	18	209
6 Engraving	941	127	1,068	945	130	1,075
7 Cardboard Cartons, Boxes, etc.	2,146	1,855	4,001	2,153	1,904	4,057
8 Paper Bags	387	552	939	409	585	994
9 Paper Making	5,048	528	5,576	5,654	565	6,219
10 Pencils, Pens	108	84	192	108	85	193
11 Other	418	188	606	425	188	613
<u>TOTAL</u>	33,876	12,769	46,645	34,718	12,812	47,530
<u>Class XIII - Rubber</u>						
1 Rubber Goods (incl. Tyres)	6,954	1,854	8,808	7,177	1,941	9,118
2 Retreading Tyres	1,411	152	1,563	1,424	147	1,571
<u>TOTAL</u>	8,365	2,006	10,371	8,601	2,088	10,689
<u>Class XIV - Musical Instruments</u>	699	132	831	726	137	863
<u>Class XV - Miscellaneous</u>						
1 Linoleum	636	52	688	622	52	674
3 Plastic Mouldings	2,669	1,322	3,991	2,749	1,285	4,034
4 Brooms and Brushes	1,449	590	2,039	1,546	601	2,147
5, 6 Surgical, Optical Goods	2,368	570	2,938	2,364	513	2,877
7 Photographic Goods	922	961	1,883	893	957	1,850
8 Toys, Games	1,944	1,135	3,079	1,932	1,146	3,078
9 Artificial Flowers	51	376	427	28	263	291
2, 10 Other (incl. Bone, Horn, etc.)	1,616	879	2,495	1,589	890	2,479
<u>TOTAL</u>	11,655	5,885	17,540	11,723	5,707	17,430
<u>Class XVI - Light and Power Works</u>	11,963	93	12,056	12,061	93	12,154
<u>GRAND TOTAL</u>	602,656	205,433	808,089	619,058	206,155	825,213

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NOTES TO TABLES 4, 5, 6, 7 AND 8.

- (a) Includes N.T. and A.C.T.
- (b) Refers to estimated employment in factories as defined for the purposes of the annual production census, results of which are published annually in the Production Bulletin, Part I, "Secondary Industries". In this connection, a factory is defined as an industrial establishment in which four or more hands are employed or in which power other than hand is used. The employees covered are those engaged in manufacturing activities and exclude those engaged in selling and distribution, etc.
- (c) Includes employees in industrial establishments outside the scope of the definition of a factory (given in (b) above) and persons employed by factory proprietors but engaged in selling or distribution, etc., who are excluded from figures shown opposite "Factories".
- (d) Includes Law and Order, Religion and Social Welfare, Health, Education, Other Professional Services, Entertainment, etc., and Personal Service (Hotels, Restaurants, etc.) excluding female private domestics. In respect of females also includes Forestry, Fishing, etc., Mining, Building and Construction.
- (e) Includes employees of private employers contracting to public authorities. Subject to adjustment on the basis of June quarter, 1948 special collection from builders.
- (f) Includes all employees on construction of roads, bridges, earthworks, etc., and employees directly employed by public authorities on building and maintenance of buildings.
- (g) Includes Hotels, Restaurants, Hairdressing and Other Personal Service (except female private domestic).
- (h) All figures for the months subsequent to May, 1945 are subject to revision on the basis of results of the Census, 30th June, 1947, (except for factories for which figures to June, 1946 are final).

TABLE 9 : UNEMPLOYMENT IN TRADE UNIONS - AUSTRALIA

P e r i o d	Unions	Membership	Unemployed (a)	
			Number	Percentage
Year 1939	396	476,918	45,967	9.7
" 1943	390	678,713	7,545	1.1
" 1944	389	681,689	8,073	1.2
" 1945	388	673,750	7,864	1.2
" 1946	383	672,121	9,125	1.4
" 1947	381	718,096	8,432	1.2
June Quarter, 1932 (b)	396	413,742	124,068	30.0
December Quarter, 1946	381	692,546	9,468	1.4
March Quarter, 1947	381	699,155	9,880	1.4
June Quarter, 1947	381	713,455	9,240	1.2
September Quarter, 1947	381	725,286	7,970	1.1
December Quarter, 1947	381	734,489	6,637	0.9
March Quarter, 1948	381	744,901	6,754	0.9
June Quarter, 1948	381	752,222	6,549	0.9

- (a) The quarterly figures show the number of persons who were out of work for three days or more during a specified week in each quarter: they include persons out of work through sickness, but exclude persons out of work through strikes or lockouts, except those outside the industry concerned who are indirectly affected. The annual figures represent the average of the four quarters.
- (b) Peak of Unemployment.

Note: The unions covered by the returns represent 56 per cent of the total membership of unions, and relate to between 25 and 30 per cent. of all wage and salary earners. The value of the percentages of unemployment derived from Trade Union returns is in the indication they give of the trend of unemployment among trade unionists as reported by secretaries of Trade Unions.

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